

Claims: Cancel claims 1- 20, inclusive, and substitute new claims 21-39, inclusive, as follows.

Claims 1-20 (canceled)

Claim 21 (new): A method comprising:

receiving, at a server, a request to locate a file from said server wherein said request includes a Uniform Resource Identifier (URI);
determining that said file can not be located on said server;
parsing at least one non-query URI component from said URI;
generating a search query from said at least one non-query URI component; and,
providing results of a search engine request having said search query.

Claim 22 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, wherein said request is a HTTP request and said determining that said file can not be located on said server includes receiving an error code in response to performing said HTTP request.

Claim 23 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, wherein said URI is a first URI and said generating said search query from said at least one non-query URI component includes generating a second URI having a query component.

Claim 24 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 23, wherein string length of said first URI is smaller in size than string length of said second URI.

Claim 25 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, further including providing at least one advertisement corresponding to said at least one non-query URI component before said providing said results of said search engine request having said search query.

Claim 26 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, wherein said URI is of the minimum form "scheme://SLD.TLD/FLD/index.htm" whereby SLD.TLD is a domain name, FLD is a first level directory path, and index.htm is a default file.

Claim 27 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 26, further including creating said FLD and said default file when it is determined that said file can not be located on said server.

Claim 28 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 27, further including corresponding said default file to said results of said search engine request having said search query.

Claim 29 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, wherein said URI is of the minimum form "scheme://3LD.SLD.TLD/index.htm" whereby SLD.TLD is a domain name, 3LD is a subdomain of said domain name, and index.htm is a default file.

Claim 30 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 29, further including creating said 3LD and said default file when it is determined that said file can not be located on said server.

Claim 31 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 30, further including corresponding said default file to said results of said search engine request having said search query.

Claim 32 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 21, further including inputting said URI from a user interface element.

Claim 33 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 32, wherein said inputting said URI from said user interface element includes inputting said URI into one of a browser location field, text box, command line, and speech to text interface.

Claim 34 (new): An apparatus comprising:

- a processor;
- a memory in operative association with said processor;
- means for receiving, at a server, a request to locate a file from said server wherein said request includes a Uniform Resource Identifier (URI);
- means for determining that said file can not be located on said server;
- means for parsing at least one non-query URI component from said URI;
- means for generating a search query from said at least one non-query URI component; and,
- means for providing results of a search engine request having said search query.

Claim 35 (new): A computer program product comprising computer readable program code stored on

a computer readable medium, the program code adapted to execute a method for receiving, at a server, a request to locate a file from said server wherein said request includes a Uniform Resource Identifier (URI), determining that said file can not be located on said server, parsing at least one non-query URI component from said URI, generating a search query from said at least one non-query URI component, and providing results of a search engine request having said search query.

Claim 36 (new): A method for a requestor requesting a first network resource from a resolvable first Uniform Resource Identifier (URI) comprising:

81
A
X

parsing at least one non-query URI component from the resolvable first URI;
generating a resolvable second URI having a query component corresponding to said at least one non-query URI component of the resolvable first URI; and,
providing the requestor with an ability to access the first network resource from the resolvable first URI and access a second network resource from the resolvable second URI.

end
Claim 37 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 36, wherein said at least one non-query URI component of the first URI and said query component of said second URI is one of a scheme, domain identifier, port, and path.

Claim 38 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 36, further including inputting the resolvable first URI from a user interface element.

Claim 39 (new): The method, as set forth in claim 36, wherein said inputting the resolvable first URI from said user interface element includes inputting the resolvable first URI into one of a browser location field, text box, command line, and speech to text interface.